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SENATE RESOLUTION 85
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A RESOLUTION to recognize Ms. Tara Milliken, 2000 Co-
valedictorian of Houston County High School.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should pause to pay tribute to those persons who, through their natural talents and unflagging commitment to academic excellence, have distinguished themselves in the classroom; and

WHEREAS, Tara Milliken is one such exceptional student who recently was named co-valedictorian of the 2000 graduating class at Houston County High School; and

WHEREAS, through diligent study, steady composure during examinations, and unyielding commitment of time and talent, Ms. Milliken has achieved outstanding academic success, and has joined the ranks of the best and brightest students of Tennessee and our country; and

WHEREAS, in her remarkable high school career, Tara has earned an exemplary grade point average; and

WHEREAS, Tara Milliken has demonstrated great leadership skills as a secretary and co-captain of the Fellowship of Christian Athletes, a secretary and active member of the Student Council, and as her class's treasurer during her four years of high school; and

WHEREAS, a gifted athlete, Tara has displayed tremendous athletic ability on the basketball court, golf course, and softball field, in addition to cheering on other athletes as a football cheerleader; and

WHEREAS, in recognition of her superior intellect, Tara was a member of the Beta Club, has participated in her school's Talented and Gifted Program, was selected as a Channel 5 Scholar of the Week, and was picked as November's Golden Ager Teenager of the Month; and

WHEREAS, Tara's classmates have shown their admiration and respect for her by electing her to represent the senior class as Ms. HCHS; and

WHEREAS, Tara Milliken's display of intellectual aptitude and ambition surely bodes well for her future success; and

WHEREAS, Tara's noteworthy achievement is a tremendous source of pride for her parents, her school, and her community; and

WHEREAS, Tara Milliken's dedication to excellence is clearly deserving of the respect, admiration, and commendation of this legislative body; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED FIRST GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, That we hereby commend and honor 2000 Houston County High School Co-valedictorian, Ms. Tara Milliken, on her impressive academic achievement, and extend to her our best wishes for a happy, successful future.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.